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Both Jack and I were dismayed and infuriated at the amusement and smiles on their faces when we saw Janet Reno and the lead prosecutor in the antitrust case against Microsoft on television announcing that they had won a case that should never have been filed. It is a given that any one of us who has computing experience knew the moment the lawsuit was filed that the technology had moved far beyond what was the subject of the litigation. The DOJ needs to settle the case now and let this country move on and continue to be innovative and successful in business. The companies whining over a loss of business should get busy and work at winning as Microsoft did and continues to do.

Thanks for letting our opinion be expressed.

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